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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)
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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 20 December 2004.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference
 c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.
 If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 71-115.

Identification of prior art discussed: Dodson et al (6,184,877) and Legall et al (6,005,565).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Proposed Claims 71-115 were discussed with respect to the Dodson and Legall references and the proposed claims does not overcome the prior art of records Dodson. Applicant will review the references and clearly distinguish the claimed invention from the prior art(s) of records. Upon receipt of a proper response to the last office action, an appropriate office action will be taken accordingly.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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